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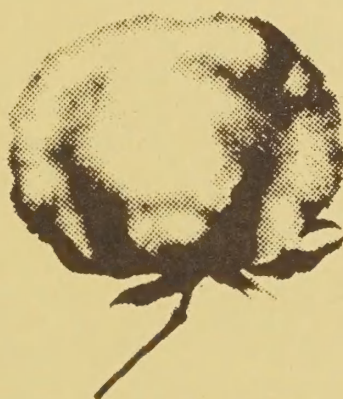
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Introduction

This report contains information on the quality of cotton on hand in the United States on August 1, 1969, and on the quality of cotton in the crop, supply and disappearance during the 1968-69 season. To facilitate comparison, certain data for previous seasons are included.

Quality estimates for the carry-over include statistics on the grade and staple of upland and American Egyptian cotton and on the staple of cotton of foreign growth in the United States on August 1, 1969. Sample data were raised to the total number of bales reported by the Bureau of the Census in public storage and in consuming establishments for upland, American Egyptian and foreign growths.

Estimates of the quality distribution of cotton in public storage, including CCC stocks as of August 1, 1969, were based on actual re-sampling and classification of a representative proportion of these stocks. Estimates of the quality distribution of cotton stored in consuming establishments were based on grade and staple data furnished by the establishments in which the cotton was stored.

The carry-over of upland cotton in the United States on August 1, 1969 contained a record-high proportion of cotton stapling 1-1/16" and longer. The average staple was the longest for any carry-over in history. The proportion of Middling and higher White grades in the carry-over was up moderately from a year ago.

The average staple of upland cotton in the 1969 carry-over was 33.8 thirty-seconds inches, the longest on record. Cotton in the lengths shorter than one inch accounted for 13 percent of the carry-over compared with 35 percent a year earlier. The lengths one inch and 1-1/32" were equivalent to 20 percent of this year's carry-over against 26 percent a year ago. Cotton in the combined lengths of 1-1/16" and 1-3/32" comprised 52 percent of end-season stocks, up sharply from 32 percent on August 1, 1968. Cotton stapling 1-1/8" and longer accounted for 15 percent of the 1969 carry-over compared with seven percent a year earlier.

Estimates of the grade distribution of the 1969 upland carry-over compared with that of a year earlier indicate a moderate increase in the proportion of Middling and higher White grades; a much larger proportion of Strict Low Middling Plus and lower White grades; and rather sharp decreases in the proportions of Light Spotted and Spotted cotton. The grade index of upland cotton in the 1969 carry-over was 93.2 (Middling White = 100) against 92.6 a year earlier and 93.1 two years ago.

The carry-over of American Egyptian cotton on August 1, 1969 totaled 142,406 bales compared with 155,643 bales a year earlier. The carry-over quality estimates for this year's stocks of American Egyptian are presented in two tables in this report. One table presents data for ex-stockpile American Egyptian cotton (4,639 bales) based on the classification of this cotton in the CCC sales catalog. The second table contains quality estimates for American Egyptian in consuming establishments and in public storage for other than ex-stockpile cotton - a total of 137,767 bales.

The United States carry-over of all kinds of cotton on August 1, 1969 totaled 6,507,565 bales, according to the Bureau of the Census. This compares with 6,448,260 bales a year earlier and 12,533,317 bales two years ago. Stocks of upland cotton in the 1969 carry-over totaled 6,333,982 bales, stocks of American Egyptian were 142,406 bales, and foreign growths totaled 31,177 bales.

September 4, 1969

Table 1. -- Carry-over of upland cotton by specified grades and staples,
August 1, 1967-1969

Grade and staple Code	1967		1968		1969 1/	
	Quantity	Percentage	Quantity	Percentage	Quantity	Percentage
	Bales	Percent	Bales	Percent	Bales	Percent
White:						
S.M. (21) & higher	244,309	2.0	128,099	2.0	121,929	1.9
M.+ (30)	96,247	0.8	21,482	0.3	67,124	1.1
M. (31)	1,315,776	10.7	854,467	13.7	1,170,118	18.5
S.L.M.+ (40)	372,792	3.0	223,021	3.6	422,914	6.7
S.L.M. (41)	1,561,456	12.7	1,067,555	17.1	1,756,550	27.8
L.M.+ (50)	151,920	1.2	88,589	1.4	268,886	4.2
L.M. (51) & lower	443,544	3.6	397,694	6.4	574,513	9.0
Light Spotted:						
S.M. (22) & higher	463,541	3.8	145,883	2.3	35,580	0.6
M. (32)	2,684,614	22.0	1,107,130	17.8	651,883	10.3
S.L.M. (42)	2,207,102	18.1	777,577	12.4	612,496	9.7
L.M. (52)	430,052	3.5	212,100	3.4	154,028	2.4
Spotted 2/(13-53)	1,998,797	16.2	1,001,725	16.1	374,054	5.9
Other Colored 3/	300,231	2.4	220,973	3.5	123,907	1.9
All grades	12,270,381	100.0	6,246,295	100.0	6,333,982	100.0
13/16" (26) & shorter	8,260	0.1	8,919	0.1	281	*
7/8" (28)	141,059	1.1	82,952	1.3	15,436	0.2
29/32" (29)	1,037,897	8.5	406,678	6.5	57,458	0.9
15/16" (30)	2,906,245	23.7	1,253,434	20.0	343,128	5.4
31/32" (31)	827,417	6.7	437,401	7.0	404,471	6.4
1" (32)	952,503	7.8	530,277	8.5	508,216	8.0
1-1/32" (33)	3,291,487	26.9	1,110,499	17.9	773,037	12.2
1-1/16" (34)	2,091,860	17.0	1,308,530	21.1	1,791,030	28.3
1-3/32" (35)	651,768	5.3	694,838	11.1	1,513,424	23.9
1-1/8" (36)	219,900	1.8	290,741	4.6	639,853	10.1
1-5/32" (37)	102,646	0.8	81,177	1.3	258,259	4.1
1-3/16" (38)	30,749	0.3	28,806	0.5	24,647	0.4
1-7/32" (39)	3,763	*	2,699	*	1,062	*
1-1/4" (40) & longer	4,827	*	9,344	0.1	3,680	0.1
All staples	12,270,381	100.0	6,246,295	100.0	6,333,982	100.0

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Includes all grades.

3/ Includes Below Grade.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 2. -- Grade index and average staple of upland cotton, August 1, 1960-1969

Year	Grade index (Middling White=100)			Average staple (Thirty-seconds inches)		
	Mill	Public Storage	Total	Mill	Public Storage	Total
	Stocks	Stocks	Carry-over	Stocks	Stocks	Carry-over
1960	95.8	98.4	97.9	33.5	32.9	33.0
1961	97.0	97.8	97.6	33.5	33.2	33.3
1962	96.8	96.9	96.9	33.6	33.1	33.2
1963	96.5	95.3	95.5	33.9	32.6	32.7
1964	96.8	95.1	95.3	34.0	32.2	32.3
1965	96.5	94.6	94.8	34.0	32.2	32.4
1966	96.5	92.6	92.9	34.1	32.0	32.1
1967	95.9	92.7	93.1	34.0	31.7	32.1
1968	94.5	91.9	92.6	33.5	32.1	32.5
1969	94.6	92.8	93.2	34.0	33.8	33.8

Table 3. -- Grade and staple of upland cotton in the carry-over, August 1, 1969 1/

Grade	Code	13/16" and shorter (26)	7/8" (28)	29/32" (29)	15/16" (30)	31/32" (31)	1" (32)	1-1/32" (33)	1-1/16" (34)	1-3/32" (35)	1-1/8" (36)	1-5/32" (37)	1-3/16" (38)	1-7/32" (39)	1-1/4" and longer (40)	All staples
White:		Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Percent
G.M.	(11)	-	-	-	-	-	412	-	35,905	9	12,212	1,241	-	-	-	1,662
S.M.	(21)	-	155	487	1,378	1,163	2,980	9,304	9,304	35,077	12,212	21,016	522	28	40	120,267
M.	(31)	-	-	81	-	2	370	5,550	13,368	20,762	12,557	12,978	1,326	-	130	67,124
M.	(31)	-	1,771	5,878	18,372	33,419	50,629	89,592	302,145	400,357	135,445	125,638	6,036	94	688	1,170,118
S.L.M.+	(41)	-	-	101	10,422	451	13,416	27,820	137,388	152,877	56,999	19,023	3,239	-	1,178	422,914
S.L.M.	(51)	-	104	2,539	50,744	56,923	74,340	155,218	598,068	516,626	247,167	48,581	5,498	416	326	1,756,550
S.L.M.+	(50)	-	-	51	1,697	2,318	16,861	36,873	108,396	72,209	26,974	2,162	1,238	-	107	268,886
L.M.	(51)	-	-	207	3,956	11,222	30,512	79,272	169,928	105,920	54,339	3,439	1,498	262	131	460,686
S.G.O.+	(60)	-	-	-	-	84	1,989	5,646	6,609	2,800	1,095	-	6	-	-	18,237
S.G.O.	(61)	-	-	68	510	2,841	19,865	11,632	30,427	15,147	4,313	407	55	-	-	85,265
G.O.+	(70)	-	-	-	50	24	489	542	192	845	33	33	-	-	-	1,363
G.O.	(71)	-	207	-	502	1,054	1,830	1,311	2,587	845	575	51	-	-	-	8,962
Total		-	2,237	9,412	87,631	109,501	213,693	422,760	1,405,067	1,322,629	551,709	234,577	19,418	800	2,600	4,382,034
Light Spotted:																
G.M.	(12)	-	-	-	-	382	-	1	127	2	-	-	-	-	-	512
S.M.	(22)	110	275	2,650	4,478	2,556	5,124	8,170	6,708	3,364	1,040	580	13	-	-	35,068
M.	(32)	-	2,561	16,285	106,297	117,166	101,398	97,149	113,348	60,094	25,868	10,608	1,096	-	13	651,883
S.L.M.	(42)	-	2,857	6,467	65,987	73,148	81,150	109,569	148,689	80,248	36,056	4,888	2,696	262	479	612,496
L.M.	(52)	-	108	999	9,373	15,334	17,036	37,111	47,261	19,045	6,374	924	424	-	39	154,028
Total		110	5,801	26,401	186,135	208,586	204,708	252,000	316,133	162,753	69,338	17,000	4,229	262	531	1,453,957
Spotted:																
G.M.	(13)	-	-	43	131	432	102	26	95	-	50	-	-	-	-	879
S.M.	(23)	-	314	2,372	5,470	5,036	4,432	2,512	1,655	401	621	384	39	-	26	23,282
M.	(33)	-	1,458	12,190	29,571	43,765	34,326	21,057	14,003	6,690	6,276	2,189	217	-	52	171,794
S.L.M.	(43)	-	3,403	3,255	19,330	17,648	17,398	30,430	21,573	8,969	6,039	3,220	522	-	419	132,206
L.M.	(53)	-	181	340	3,354	4,121	8,233	12,822	11,791	2,599	1,677	723	52	-	-	45,893
Total		-	5,356	18,200	57,856	71,002	64,511	66,847	49,117	18,659	14,663	6,516	830	-	497	374,054
Tinged:																
G.M.	(14)	-	-	-	50	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
S.M.	(24)	-	192	447	820	1,261	643	669	540	45	114	45	-	-	-	4,776
M.	(34)	94	365	1,266	4,882	5,155	3,970	3,472	1,984	618	314	45	79	-	26	22,270
S.L.M.	(44)	-	401	658	2,165	3,072	4,459	9,114	6,709	473	115	-	39	-	26	27,231
L.M.	(54)	26	482	285	776	1,888	5,550	7,846	3,091	32	17	-	-	-	-	19,993
Total		120	1,440	2,656	8,693	11,376	14,672	21,101	12,324	1,168	560	90	118	-	52	74,370
Stained:																
G.M.	(15)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S.M.	(25)	-	-	205	60	30	30	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	338
M.	(35)	38	239	467	310	247	43	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,370
Total		38	239	672	370	277	73	26	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,708
Light Gray:																
G.M.	(16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S.M.	(26)	-	-	-	-	-	368	1,667	1,348	4,944	2,333	-	-	-	-	1,230
M.	(36)	-	-	-	60	-	719	351	1,957	886	770	-	-	-	-	10,720
S.L.M.	(46)	-	-	-	50	141	1,087	2,049	3,881	6,356	3,200	-	-	-	-	4,874
Total		-	-	-	110	141	1,087	2,049	3,881	6,356	3,200	-	-	-	-	16,824
Gray:																
G.M.	(17)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S.M.	(27)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
M.	(37)	-	-	-	-	70	235	122	-	262	127	-	-	-	-	836
S.L.M.	(47)	-	-	-	13	135	374	1,394	275	123	-	-	-	-	-	2,314
Total		-	-	-	13	205	609	1,516	275	405	127	-	-	-	-	3,150
Below Grade		13	363	117	2,320	3,363	8,863	6,738	4,220	1,454	256	76	52	-	-	27,855
All grades		281	15,436	57,458	343,128	404,471	508,216	773,037	1,791,030	1,513,424	639,853	258,259	24,647	1,062	3,680	6,353,982
All grades		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
All grades		0.2	0.9	5.4	5.4	6.4	8.0	12.2	28.3	23.9	10.1	4.1	0.4	*	0.1	100.0
1/ Preliminary. Quality data on bales stored in consuming establishments included in this table based on information furnished by mills.																93.2
2/ As reported by the Bureau of the Census, running bales.																33.8
* Less than 0.05 percent.																

Table 4. -- Grade and staple of upland cotton in the carry-over, August 1, 1968 ^{1/}

Grade	Code	13/16" and shorter (26)	7/8" (28)	29/32" (29)	15/16" (30)	31/32" (31)	1" (32)	1-1/32" (33)	1-1/16" (34)	1-3/32" (35)	1-1/8" (36)	1-5/32" (37)	1-3/16" (38)	1-7/32" (39)	1-1/4" and longer (40)	All staples
White:																
G. M.	(11)	-	-	-	-	-	116	370	115	23	87	1,028	-	-	-	1,739
S. M.	(21)	-	194	147	2,095	1,436	6,173	23,112	54,919	25,232	7,279	5,188	568	-	17	126,360
M. +	(30)	-	-	925	1,606	518	1,130	4,936	5,419	5,347	362	474	538	188	39	21,482
M.	(31)	21	3,180	8,463	45,259	19,089	52,774	147,984	272,003	208,122	64,947	26,570	4,337	125	1,487	854,467
S. L. M. +	(40)	310	605	1,376	6,930	2,394	9,169	22,405	108,205	44,275	20,710	4,492	830	458	862	223,021
S. L. M.	(41)	35	7,737	11,402	89,864	34,506	69,835	219,296	319,270	205,485	89,214	12,135	5,735	343	2,678	1,067,555
L. M. +	(50)	-	-	22	1,505	570	3,530	30,660	41,437	8,607	1,913	281	5	-	59	68,589
L. M.	(51)	-	3,939	2,599	19,512	5,096	50,286	108,511	72,517	30,648	11,140	1,947	663	17	564	307,439
S. G. O. +	(60)	-	-	3	85	87	600	2,946	2,225	565	400	3	-	-	-	6,914
S. G. O.	(61)	-	913	1,450	6,141	1,374	32,969	16,927	7,772	3,709	1,257	203	293	-	-	73,028
G. O. +	(70)	-	-	-	-	10	57	138	184	3	-	-	-	-	-	392
G. O.	(71)	-	-	65	898	656	3,366	- 2,562	1,680	490	118	17	69	-	-	9,921
Total		366	16,568	26,452	173,895	65,736	230,025	579,847	883,746	532,612	197,427	52,358	13,038	1,131	5,706	2,780,907
Light Spotted:																
G. M.	(12)	193	-	95	145	46	46	27	64	-	-	-	-	-	-	616
S. M.	(22)	181	2,667	11,015	30,264	10,208	12,819	35,200	28,819	7,040	5,528	1,374	152	-	-	145,267
M.	(32)	469	11,626	109,642	388,030	133,358	72,120	144,572	136,839	54,192	37,505	14,811	3,438	198	330	1,107,130
S. L. M.	(42)	1,445	6,340	49,197	218,310	67,825	69,198	154,010	114,215	55,033	28,689	7,056	4,766	420	1,073	777,577
L. M.	(52)	-	1,800	6,656	19,874	15,480	40,710	64,800	40,831	11,976	5,084	651	3,149	374	715	212,100
Total		2,288	22,433	176,605	656,623	226,917	194,893	398,609	320,768	128,241	76,806	23,892	11,505	992	2,118	2,242,690
Spotted:																
G. M.	(13)	-	49	47	264	46	178	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	695
S. M.	(23)	498	8,463	23,778	44,255	16,315	7,836	10,600	7,564	2,663	1,152	634	-	-	-	123,758
M.	(33)	1,541	16,685	98,576	253,354	77,156	27,260	26,063	24,240	7,432	5,328	1,575	1,092	47	365	540,714
S. L. M.	(43)	290	6,251	36,777	59,991	18,852	20,461	34,374	35,021	13,253	6,468	1,985	1,852	529	826	236,930
L. M.	(53)	65	794	7,232	15,166	8,052	16,422	25,605	16,671	5,628	1,758	623	1,283	-	329	99,628
Total		2,394	32,242	166,410	373,030	120,421	72,157	96,753	83,496	28,976	14,706	4,817	4,227	576	1,520	1,001,725
Tinged:																
G. M.	(14)	-	-	46	46	219	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	311
S. M.	(24)	639	1,203	4,860	5,666	2,287	1,283	1,819	1,545	514	33	-	-	-	-	19,849
M.	(34)	697	5,021	18,772	25,327	6,737	4,091	3,756	2,672	728	349	-	18	-	-	68,168
S. L. M.	(44)	146	1,358	4,155	6,360	1,911	2,146	6,191	2,791	340	281	-	-	-	-	1,100
L. M.	(54)	12	561	1,220	1,721	1,214	3,543	3,612	1,715	419	-	-	-	-	-	25,679
Total		1,494	8,143	29,053	39,120	12,368	11,063	15,378	8,723	2,001	663	-	18	-	-	14,017
Stained:																
G. M.	(15)	-	-	-	-	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46
S. M.	(25)	-	183	-	46	46	41	37	123	-	-	-	18	-	-	512
M.	(35)	1,317	1,750	2,096	1,489	587	90	55	214	-	-	18	-	-	-	7,616
Total		1,317	1,933	2,096	1,535	633	177	92	337	-	18	18	18	-	-	8,174
Light Gray:																
G. M.	(16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S. M.	(26)	-	-	-	226	98	336	363	307	437	67	-	-	-	-	1,834
M.	(36)	-	102	46	708	466	1,518	3,116	823	492	418	-	-	-	-	7,689
S. L. M.	(46)	-	-	558	544	193	1,357	1,432	865	138	147	-	-	-	-	5,234
Total		-	102	604	1,478	757	3,211	4,911	1,995	1,067	632	-	-	-	-	14,757
Gray:																
G. M.	(17)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S. M.	(27)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	37
M.	(37)	-	-	32	30	126	116	366	146	99	122	-	-	-	-	1,037
S. L. M.	(47)	-	-	-	64	337	1,436	486	773	78	-	-	-	-	-	3,174
Total		-	-	32	94	463	1,552	852	956	177	122	-	-	-	-	4,248
Below Grade																
All grades		1,060	1,531	5,426	7,659	10,106	17,199	14,057	6,509	1,764	367	92	-	-	-	65,770
All staples																
Percent		8,919	82,952	406,678	1,253,434	437,401	530,277	1,110,499	1,308,530	694,838	290,741	81,177	28,806	2,699	9,344	6,246,295
Grade		0.1	1.3	6.5	20.1	7.0	8.5	17.8	21.0	11.1	4.7	1.3	0.5	0.1	0.1	100.0
Revised. Quality data on bales stored in consuming establishments included in this table based on information furnished by mills.																
As reported by the Bureau of the Census, running bales.																
Less than 0.05 percent.																
Grade Index..... 92.6																
Average staple..... 32.5																

Table 7. -- Grade and staple of upland cotton in the supply, United States, 1968-69 1/

Grade	Code	13/16" and shorter (26)	7/8" (28)	29/32" (29)	15/16" (30)	31/32" (31)	1" (32)	1-1/32" (33)	1-1/16" (34)	1-1/8" (36)	1-5/32" (37)	1-3/16" (38)	1-7/32" (39)	1-1/4" and longer (40)	All staples
		Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Percent
White:															
G.M.	(11)	-	-	-	-	-	116	370	160	243	1,341	11	-	-	2,390
S.M.	(21)	-	194	397	2,881	2,531	7,628	33,143	101,902	16,101	13,417	1,367	-	85	243,190
M.+	(30)	-	-	925	1,626	569	1,163	5,021	5,847	460	613	597	188	50	22,970
M.	(31)	21	3,251	15,513	114,686	87,364	112,979	27,750	759,340	328,219	141,306	13,372	179	3,593	2,615,882
S.L.M.+	(40)	310	605	1,558	8,204	3,839	11,441	27,750	140,207	73,885	17,182	1,706	500	1,108	362,152
S.L.M.	(41)	55	7,908	21,408	183,906	152,135	269,724	535,841	1,577,736	787,997	105,620	19,529	769	7,468	5,223,424
L.M.+	(50)	-	46	275	3,621	3,071	8,185	41,984	100,216	55,804	3,250	706	39	384	303,360
L.M.	(51)	-	4,030	4,506	40,371	27,171	81,320	193,227	395,860	263,629	9,824	3,491	115	1,130	1,383,299
S.G.O.+	(60)	-	-	11	136	294	1,009	4,152	5,923	4,365	112	45	-	11	21,505
S.G.O.	(61)	-	930	1,683	9,399	5,878	40,505	37,208	53,951	29,719	793	439	-	45	233,937
G.O.+	(70)	-	-	-	36	80	124	225	303	81	100	-	-	-	949
G.O.	(71)	-	19	101	2,176	2,243	7,397	7,404	9,402	2,545	61	89	-	-	43,296
Total		386	16,983	46,377	367,042	285,175	541,591	1,135,781	3,150,847	1,563,016	293,519	41,352	1,790	13,874	10,476,354
Light Spotted:															
G.M.	(12)	193	-	95	145	46	46	27	75	-	-	-	-	-	627
S.M.	(22)	190	3,101	13,837	36,493	12,748	14,189	37,834	33,185	6,784	2,123	215	-	-	169,851
M.	(32)	488	12,862	143,662	620,501	347,348	234,382	240,821	270,903	63,246	34,330	6,155	218	1,000	2,119,373
S.L.M.	(42)	1,464	8,239	63,327	419,320	246,297	255,895	313,206	385,479	88,166	20,472	9,589	476	2,205	2,092,512
L.M.	(52)	9	2,162	14,035	64,307	46,879	72,710	112,872	123,042	57,145	3,065	4,156	374	898	523,417
Total		2,344	26,364	254,956	1,140,766	653,318	577,222	704,760	812,684	468,131	179,999	59,990	20,115	4,063	4,905,780
Spotted:															
G.M.	(13)	-	49	47	264	46	178	111	-	33	-	-	-	-	728
S.M.	(23)	498	8,463	23,986	44,595	16,718	8,097	10,947	7,804	1,216	634	-	-	-	125,718
M.	(33)	1,552	17,259	103,738	286,952	122,775	61,843	39,074	30,926	6,714	1,970	1,172	47	418	684,145
S.L.M.	(43)	351	6,742	41,018	84,886	51,934	50,063	52,922	50,468	18,967	9,068	1,965	529	861	372,259
L.M.	(53)	109	1,113	8,567	20,946	14,237	23,749	35,791	27,411	9,836	3,429	849	-	353	147,767
Total		2,510	33,626	177,356	437,643	205,710	143,930	138,845	116,609	20,460	5,938	4,514	576	1,632	1,330,617
Tinged:															
G.M.	(14)	-	-	46	46	219	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	311
S.M.	(24)	639	1,257	4,868	5,704	2,375	1,336	1,839	1,553	33	-	-	-	-	20,118
M.	(34)	756	5,462	21,496	32,436	11,443	6,217	4,192	2,955	469	19	18	-	-	96,349
S.L.M.	(44)	237	2,313	7,376	11,800	5,300	3,567	6,925	3,246	349	24	-	-	-	41,685
L.M.	(54)	52	810	1,833	3,015	1,932	4,041	4,041	2,009	47	-	-	-	-	18,314
Total		1,684	9,842	35,619	53,021	21,269	15,161	16,997	9,763	896	43	18	-	-	166,777
Stained:															
G.M.	(15)	-	-	-	-	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46
S.M.	(25)	-	183	-	46	46	41	37	123	18	-	18	-	-	512
M.	(35)	1,333	1,798	2,213	1,675	670	90	62	214	11	18	-	-	-	8,126
Total		1,333	1,981	2,213	1,721	716	177	99	337	29	18	18	-	-	8,684
Light Gray:															
G.M.	(16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	11	21	-	-	-	80
S.M.	(26)	-	-	8	278	203	523	1,231	2,174	2,968	244	31	-	-	9,667
M.	(36)	-	102	78	934	789	2,625	6,269	6,048	9,813	127	53	-	-	33,797
S.L.M.	(46)	-	-	578	632	385	1,861	3,276	3,099	3,982	31	-	-	-	20,464
Total		-	102	664	1,844	1,377	5,009	10,776	11,369	15,823	402	84	-	-	64,008
Gray:															
G.M.	(17)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
S.M.	(27)	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	139	73	-	-	-	-	283
M.	(37)	-	-	32	92	193	203	666	419	313	-	-	-	-	2,353
S.L.M.	(47)	-	-	-	76	403	1,636	795	1,087	1,588	441	-	-	-	6,026
Total		-	-	32	168	596	1,839	1,507	1,645	2,096	779	-	-	-	8,662
Below Grade															
		1,181	2,253	6,942	14,199	15,099	29,465	24,762	19,574	2,062	188	32	-	-	123,797
All grades		9,438	91,151	524,159	2,016,404	1,183,260	1,314,394	2,033,527	4,122,828	1,783,066	360,098	66,133	3,434	19,569	17,084,679
Percent		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
All grades		0.1	0.5	3.1	11.8	6.9	7.7	11.9	24.2	10.4	2.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	100.0
1/ 1968 carry-over plus 1968-69 crop.															
Less than 0.05 percent.															
Grade index.....															
Average staple.....															
33.4															

Table 8. -- Carry-over, crop, supply and disappearance of upland cotton, by grade groupings, United States, 1961-1969

Year beginning August 1	White 1/					Light Spotted					Other Colored 2/	All grades 3/
	Good Middling and higher	Strict Middling	Middling	Strict Low Middling	Low Middling	Strict Good Ordinary & Good Ordinary	Strict Middling and higher	Middling	Strict Low Middling	Low Middling		
1961	37,094	764,193	2,095,245	1,083,639	357,907	29,677	806,131	1,294,210	273,054	53,481	383,001	7,077,632
1962	42,662	1,321,192	2,860,245	1,121,363	324,207	79,095	387,232	650,277	257,356	104,550	576,920	7,725,099
1963	23,395	751,353	2,398,026	2,031,593	711,278	162,572	893,384	2,102,879	1,055,390	284,200	590,948	11,005,018
1964	21,796	967,293	2,746,924	2,079,801	645,117	143,261	827,115	2,092,548	1,234,717	326,307	1,025,611	12,110,490
1965	21,530	846,426	2,786,364	3,001,472	1,013,424	149,033	801,972	2,249,050	1,343,870	329,331	1,475,876	14,018,348
1966	14,941	430,125	1,963,179	2,418,300	944,229	269,933	766,166	3,771,627	3,014,587	813,381	2,158,808	16,565,276
1967	2,957	241,352	1,412,023	1,934,248	486,430	109,034	463,541	2,684,614	2,207,102	430,052	2,299,028	12,270,381
1968	1,739	126,360	875,949	1,290,576	396,028	90,255	145,883	1,107,130	777,577	212,100	1,222,698	6,246,295
1969	1,662	120,267	1,237,242	2,179,464	729,572	113,827	35,580	651,883	612,496	154,028	497,961	6,333,982
CARRY-OVER												
1961	68,917	1,594,504	4,676,153	2,482,759	730,875	117,061	483,062	1,667,984	1,097,136	332,156	1,012,758	14,263,365
1962	17,984	751,403	3,500,940	4,055,621	1,264,712	237,420	220,867	1,648,840	1,815,327	487,773	753,509	14,754,396
1963	7,573	911,575	3,781,596	4,462,656	1,379,008	258,471	220,600	1,988,588	1,281,733	294,252	542,723	15,128,775
1964	6,608	559,211	3,123,870	4,881,260	1,797,721	311,230	98,082	1,471,008	1,456,136	428,656	898,532	15,032,314
1965	2,674	316,032	2,790,979	4,931,445	1,751,299	298,627	73,112	1,694,307	1,918,478	363,909	706,430	14,847,292
1966	358	125,430	1,568,729	2,797,819	794,672	124,936	33,098	1,060,360	1,479,766	430,754	1,075,275	9,491,197
1967	344	90,348	1,378,474	2,579,916	577,567	102,881	32,935	972,952	839,724	240,133	555,019	7,370,293
1968	651	116,830	1,762,903	4,315,000	1,290,631	209,432	24,595	1,012,243	1,314,935	311,317	479,847	10,838,384
CROP												
1961	106,011	2,358,697	6,771,398	3,566,398	988,782	146,738	1,289,193	2,962,194	1,370,190	385,637	1,395,759	21,340,997
1962	60,646	2,072,595	6,361,185	5,176,984	1,588,919	316,515	608,099	2,299,117	2,072,683	592,323	1,330,429	22,479,495
1963	30,968	1,662,928	6,179,622	6,494,249	2,090,286	421,043	1,113,984	4,091,467	2,337,123	578,452	1,133,671	26,133,793
1964	28,404	1,526,504	5,870,794	6,961,061	2,442,838	454,491	925,197	3,563,556	2,690,853	754,963	1,924,143	27,142,804
1965	24,204	1,162,458	5,577,343	7,932,917	2,764,723	447,660	875,084	3,943,357	3,262,348	693,240	2,182,306	28,865,640
1966	15,299	555,555	3,531,908	5,216,119	1,738,901	394,869	799,264	4,831,987	4,494,353	1,244,135	3,234,083	26,056,473
1967	3,301	331,700	2,790,497	4,514,164	1,063,997	211,915	496,476	3,657,566	3,046,826	670,185	2,854,047	19,640,674
1968	2,390	243,190	2,638,852	5,605,576	1,686,659	299,687	170,478	2,119,373	2,092,512	523,417	1,702,545	17,084,679
SUPPLY 4/												
1961	63,349	1,037,505	3,911,153	2,445,035	664,575	67,643	901,961	2,311,917	1,112,834	281,087	818,839	13,615,898
1962	37,251	1,321,242	3,963,159	3,145,391	877,641	153,943	-285,285	196,238	1,017,293	308,123	739,481	11,474,477
1963	9,172	695,635	3,432,698	4,414,448	1,445,169	277,782	286,869	1,998,919	1,102,406	252,145	108,060	14,023,303
1964	6,874	680,078	3,084,430	3,959,589	1,429,414	305,458	123,225	1,314,506	1,346,983	425,632	448,267	13,124,456
1965	9,263	732,333	3,614,164	5,514,617	1,820,494	177,727	108,918	171,730	247,761	-120,141	23,498	12,300,364
1966	12,342	314,203	2,119,885	3,281,871	1,252,471	285,835	335,723	2,147,373	2,287,251	814,083	935,055	13,786,092
1967	1,562	205,340	1,914,548	3,223,588	667,969	121,660	350,593	2,550,436	2,269,249	458,085	1,631,349	13,394,379
1968	728	122,923	1,401,610	3,426,112	957,087	185,860	134,898	1,467,490	1,480,016	369,389	1,204,584	10,750,697
DISAPPEARANCE 5/												
1961	63,349	1,037,505	3,911,153	2,445,035	664,575	67,643	901,961	2,311,917	1,112,834	281,087	818,839	13,615,898
1962	37,251	1,321,242	3,963,159	3,145,391	877,641	153,943	-285,285	196,238	1,017,293	308,123	739,481	11,474,477
1963	9,172	695,635	3,432,698	4,414,448	1,445,169	277,782	286,869	1,998,919	1,102,406	252,145	108,060	14,023,303
1964	6,874	680,078	3,084,430	3,959,589	1,429,414	305,458	123,225	1,314,506	1,346,983	425,632	448,267	13,124,456
1965	9,263	732,333	3,614,164	5,514,617	1,820,494	177,727	108,918	171,730	247,761	-120,141	23,498	12,300,364
1966	12,342	314,203	2,119,885	3,281,871	1,252,471	285,835	335,723	2,147,373	2,287,251	814,083	935,055	13,786,092
1967	1,562	205,340	1,914,548	3,223,588	667,969	121,660	350,593	2,550,436	2,269,249	458,085	1,631,349	13,394,379
1968	728	122,923	1,401,610	3,426,112	957,087	185,860	134,898	1,467,490	1,480,016	369,389	1,204,584	10,750,697

1/ Plus grades of White included with straight grades.

2/ Other Colored includes all grades of Spotted, Tinged, Stained, Light Gray, Gray and Below Grade.

3/ As reported by the Bureau of the Census.

4/ Carry-over at the beginning of the season plus crop.

5/ Supply minus carry-over at the end of the season.

Table 9. -- Carry-over, crop, supply and disappearance of upland cotton, by staple groupings, United States, 1961-1969

Year beginning August 1	13/16" and shorter	7/8"	29/32"	15/16"	31/32"	1"	1-1/32"	1-1/16"	1-3/32"	1-1/8" and longer	All lengths 1/
	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales
CARRY-OVER											
1961	1,196	9,972	35,214	231,489	320,846	668,387	2,361,478	2,815,568	457,872	175,610	7,077,632
1962	2,934	59,295	138,529	744,494	432,118	698,829	1,455,398	2,823,108	975,653	394,741	7,725,099
1963	2,428	61,537	571,790	1,640,948	578,819	773,270	2,415,921	3,982,998	746,039	231,268	11,005,018
1964	12,850	246,908	1,153,583	1,685,211	588,104	1,002,267	3,250,740	3,392,540	624,676	153,611	12,110,490
1965	25,204	239,688	1,101,709	2,207,676	765,455	1,005,952	3,569,875	3,996,412	832,534	273,843	14,018,348
1966	24,957	391,399	1,682,179	2,927,001	906,551	1,090,280	4,700,330	3,711,244	771,900	359,435	16,565,276
1967	8,260	141,059	1,037,897	2,906,245	827,417	952,503	3,291,487	2,091,860	651,768	361,885	12,270,381
1968	8,919	82,952	406,678	1,253,434	437,401	530,277	1,110,499	1,308,530	694,838	412,767	6,246,295
1969	281	15,436	57,458	343,128	404,471	508,216	773,037	1,791,030	1,513,424	927,501	6,333,982
CROP											
1961	1,848	40,615	550,386	2,161,357	1,100,072	962,245	2,112,666	5,243,449	1,585,351	505,376	14,263,365
1962	2,533	52,226	726,072	2,301,969	759,231	789,264	2,855,530	5,086,891	1,757,331	423,349	14,754,396
1963	17,495	232,967	1,186,257	1,952,088	484,301	725,379	3,473,404	5,606,717	1,099,347	350,820	15,128,775
1964	49,057	381,622	814,359	1,629,942	564,381	763,977	3,574,201	5,127,506	1,691,874	435,395	15,032,314
1965	9,418	108,286	933,586	2,304,440	642,844	701,033	2,854,465	5,039,822	1,818,436	434,962	14,847,292
1966	7,703	93,359	641,378	1,376,487	437,171	358,874	1,283,336	3,294,000	1,595,353	403,536	9,491,197
1967	1,776	42,829	338,941	780,619	540,669	391,198	717,600	2,110,095	1,697,112	749,454	7,370,293
1968	519	8,199	117,481	762,970	745,859	784,117	923,028	2,814,298	2,862,380	1,819,533	10,838,384
SUPPLY 2/											
1961	3,044	50,587	585,600	2,392,846	1,420,918	1,630,632	4,474,144	8,059,017	2,043,223	680,986	21,340,997
1962	5,467	111,521	864,601	3,046,463	1,191,349	1,488,093	4,310,928	7,909,999	2,732,984	818,090	22,479,495
1963	19,923	294,504	1,758,047	3,593,036	1,063,120	1,498,649	5,889,325	9,589,715	1,845,386	582,088	26,133,793
1964	61,907	628,530	1,967,942	3,315,153	1,152,485	1,766,244	6,824,941	8,520,046	2,316,550	589,006	27,142,804
1965	34,622	347,974	2,035,295	4,512,116	1,408,299	1,706,985	6,424,340	9,036,234	2,650,970	708,805	28,865,640
1966	32,660	484,758	2,323,557	4,303,488	1,343,722	1,449,154	5,983,666	7,005,244	2,367,253	762,971	26,056,473
1967	10,036	183,888	1,376,838	3,686,864	1,368,086	1,343,701	4,009,087	4,201,955	2,348,880	1,111,339	19,640,674
1968	9,438	91,151	524,159	2,016,404	1,183,260	1,314,394	2,033,527	4,122,828	3,557,218	2,232,300	17,084,679
DISAPPEARANCE 3/											
1961	110	-8,708	447,071	1,648,352	988,800	931,803	3,018,746	5,235,909	1,067,570	286,245	13,615,898
1962	3,039	49,984	292,811	1,405,515	612,530	714,823	1,895,007	3,927,001	1,986,945	586,822	11,474,477
1963	7,073	47,596	604,464	1,907,825	475,016	496,382	2,638,585	6,197,175	1,220,710	428,477	14,023,303
1964	36,703	388,842	866,233	1,107,477	387,030	760,292	3,255,066	4,523,634	1,484,016	315,163	13,124,456
1965	9,665	43,425	353,116	1,585,115	501,748	616,705	1,724,010	5,324,990	1,879,070	349,370	12,300,364
1966	24,400	343,699	1,285,660	1,397,243	516,305	496,651	2,692,179	4,913,384	1,715,485	401,086	13,786,092
1967	1,117	100,936	970,160	2,433,430	930,685	813,424	2,898,588	2,893,425	1,654,042	698,572	13,394,379
1968	9,157	75,715	466,701	1,673,276	778,789	806,178	1,260,490	2,331,798	2,043,794	1,304,799	10,750,697

1/ As reported by the Bureau of the Census.

2/ Carry-over at the beginning of the season plus crop.

3/ Supply minus carry-over at the end of the season.

Table 10. -- Tenderability of upland cotton in the carry-over, United States, August 1, 1960-1969

Year	Tenderable 1/		Untenderable		Total 2/	
	Bales	Percent	Bales	Percent	Bales	Percent
1960	6,328,730	85.6	1,061,434	14.4	7,390,164	100.0
1961	6,510,280	92.0	567,352	8.0	7,077,632	100.0
1962	6,778,070	87.7	947,029	12.3	7,725,099	100.0
1963	9,101,142	82.7	1,903,876	17.3	11,005,018	100.0
1964	7,365,960	60.8	4,744,530	39.2	12,110,490	100.0
1965	8,666,348	61.8	5,352,000	38.2	14,018,348	100.0
1966	6,780,215	40.9	9,785,061	59.1	16,565,276	100.0
1967	5,849,232	47.7	6,421,149	52.3	12,270,381	100.0
1968	3,912,508	62.6	2,333,787	37.4	6,246,295	100.0
1969	4,950,694	78.2	1,383,288	21.8	6,333,982	100.0

1/ Qualities tenderable with respect to grade and staple in settlement of cotton futures.

2/ As reported by the Bureau of the Census.

Table 11. -- Grade and staple of ex-stockpile American Egyptian cotton in the carry-over (Sales Announcement NO-C-10 catalog), August 1, 1969

Grade	Code	1-5/16" and shorter (42)	1-3/8" (44)	1-7/16" (46)	1-1/2" (48)	1-9/16" and longer (50)	Total	
		Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Percent
1	(10)	-	-	-	-	1	1	•
2	(20)	-	1	1	194	-	196	4.2
3	(30)	-	1	966	3,471	4	4,442	95.8
4	(40)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	(50)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	(60)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	(70)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	(80)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	(90)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	(00)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total		-	2	967	3,665	5	4,639	100.0
Percent		-	•	20.8	79.1	0.1	100.0	

• Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 12. -- Grade and staple of American Egyptian cotton in consuming establishments and in public storage (other than ex-stockpile), August 1, 1969 1/

Grade	Code	1-5/16" and shorter (42)	1-3/8" (44)	1-7/16" (46)	1-1/2" (48)	1-9/16" and longer (50)	Total	
		Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Percent
1	(10)	-	282	84	1,271	-	1,637	1.2
2	(20)	234	11,622	1,938	1,924	7	15,725	11.4
3	(30)	707	39,468	8,300	1,466	7	49,948	36.4
4	(40)	1,872	38,862	7,304	162	-	48,200	35.0
5	(50)	912	12,624	431	9	-	13,976	10.1
6	(60)	770	4,020	40	-	-	4,830	3.5
7	(70)	472	1,751	15	-	-	2,238	1.6
8	(80)	285	266	-	-	-	551	0.4
9	(90)	254	78	-	-	-	332	0.2
10	(00)	284	46	-	-	-	330	0.2
Total		5,790	109,019	18,112	4,832	14	137,767	100.0
Percent		4.2	79.2	13.1	3.5	•	100.0	

1/ Preliminary. Quality data on 19,858 bales stored in consuming establishments included in this table based on information furnished by mills.

• Less than 0.05 percent.

Table 13. Staple of foreign growth cotton in the carry-over,
August 1, 1962-1969 ^{1/}

Growth and length (inches)	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Bales</u>
<u>Egyptian:</u>								
1-3/32 & shorter	672	2,248	12	-	-	826	238	-
1-1/8 & 1-5/32	-	-	-	13	3,431	-	748	-
1-3/16 & 1-7/32	-	-	-	-	2,299	671	20	-
1-1/4 - 1-11/32	119	7,328	724	282	3,596	7,034	696	767
1-3/8 - 1-15/32	17,770	58,592	32,471	35,212	28,948	23,390	21,635	5,608
1-1/2 - 1-19/32	3,452	8,122	6,875	5,294	9,130	12,032	2,708	1,265
1-5/8 - 1-23/32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	552
1-3/4 & longer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All lengths	22,013	76,290	40,082	40,801	47,404	43,953	26,045	8,192
<u>Peruvian:</u>								
1-1/8 & 1-5/32	39	127	16	-	16	-	-	-
1-3/16 & 1-7/32	290	333	247	878	70	126	35	343
1-1/4 - 1-11/32	199	160	635	205	28	623	16	23
1-3/8 - 1-15/32	838	1,129	4,000	1,442	1,082	1,922	2,662	422
1-1/2 - 1-19/32	1,997	573	2,397	4,506	1,166	961	743	1,702
1-5/8 - 1-23/32	926	2,098	3,577	3,985	1,769	1,078	5,571	1,718
1-3/4 & longer	-	1,285	5,476	958	1,403	-	-	-
All lengths	4,289	5,705	16,348	11,974	5,534	4,710	9,027	4,208
<u>Indian:</u>								
13/16 & shorter	15,086	10,127	14,644	9,533	5,176	7,078	7,189	12,673
<u>Other Foreign:</u>								
13/16 & shorter	75	-	-	-	-	-	2,551	2,472
7/8 & 29/32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15/16 & 31/32	233	125	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 & 1-1/32	91	247	-	-	-	-	-	705
1-1/16 & 1-3/32	370	250	182	1,250	3,522	2,100	1,510	2,927
1-1/8 & 1-5/32	31	128	876	1,510	-	-	-	-
1-3/16 & 1-7/32	-	-	-	45	-	-	-	-
1-1/4 & longer	-	-	-	2,062	-	-	-	-
All lengths	800	750	1,058	4,867	3,522	2,100	4,061	6,104
All Foreign ^{2/}	42,188	92,872	72,132	67,175	61,636	57,841	46,322	31,177

^{1/} Quality data on bales stored in consuming establishments included in this table based on information furnished by mills.

^{2/} As reported by the Bureau of the Census.

Table 14. -- Micronaire readings of upland and American Egyptian cotton in public storage, by specified groupings, August 1, 1968-1969

Mike readings by groupings	Upland cotton				American Egyptian cotton 1/			
	1968		1969		1968		1969	
	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Bales</u>	<u>Percent</u>
2.6 & below	159,577	3.6	94,582	2.0	234	0.2	590	0.5
2.7 - 2.9	474,299	10.7	307,390	6.5	6,915	5.9	6,721	5.7
3.0 - 3.2	722,530	16.3	567,489	12.0	16,993	14.5	17,804	15.1
3.3 - 3.4	407,808	9.2	359,410	7.6	14,883	12.7	16,154	13.7
3.5 - 4.9	2,460,150	55.5	3,125,920	66.1	78,140	66.7	76,624	65.0
5.0 - 5.2	150,712	3.4	217,538	4.6	26	*	16	*
5.3 & above	57,625	1.3	56,749	1.2	-	-	-	-
Total	4,432,701	100.0	4,729,078	100.0	117,191	100.0	117,909	100.0
Average mike		3.7		3.9		3.6		3.6

1/ Excludes ex-stockpile American Egyptian cotton.

* Less than 0.05 percent.

